

House Resolution No. 1319

Whereas, it is with special pleasure that the members of the Missouri House of Representatives pause to recognize an outstanding young Missouri citizen who has distinguished herself as a leader of her peers; and

Whereas, Tonaë Atkinson of Kansas City, Missouri, is to be commended for the enviable list of achievement she has compiled while attending Hickman Mills High School in Kansas City; and

Whereas, Tonaë Atkinson is ranked 20th in her class of 264 seniors at Hickman Mills High School and maintains an impressive Grade Point Average of 3.7/4.0; and

Whereas, Tonaë Atkinson has participated in a variety of extracurricular activities at Hickman Mills High School which include the Hikers, DECA, the Presidential Challenge, the Health Program, National Honor Society, and the Cheerleading Squad; and

Whereas, Tonaë Atkinson is a devout member of the Second Missionary Baptist Church in Grandview, where she glorifies the Lord as an active member of the youth group, Youth in a World of Pressure; and

Whereas, a part-time sales representative at The Finishline at Bannister Mall, Tonaë Atkinson is enrolled in several academically challenging courses and appears regularly on the Principal's Honor Roll; and

Whereas, Tonaë Atkinson looks forward to continuing her education at the University of Missouri-Columbia, where she has been accepted to the nursing program; and

Whereas, Tonaë Atkinson has achieved all of this and more with the support and encouragement of her wonderful mother, Tonia Nero of Kansas City:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, unanimously join in extending our most hearty and robust congratulations to Tonaë Atkinson at this proud moment of well-deserved recognition, and in wishing her only the very best of success in all her future endeavors; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Tonaë Atkinson.

Offered by _____
Representative Vicki L. Walker
District No. 50

I, Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, Second Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 1319, adopted March 30, 2004.

Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker